

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	John M. BROWN et al.	§	Confirmation No.:	2999
Serial No.:	10/657,946	§	Group Art Unit:	2628
Filed:	09/09/2003	§	Examiner:	Jeffrey J. Chow
For:	System And Method For Assessing Performance Optimizations In A Graphics System	§	Docket No.:	10972005-2

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT
AMENDMENT DATED DECEMBER 18, 2008**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: January 16, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 18, 2008, attached is a corrected copy of the Response to Office Action dated August 8, 2008 (originally filed on October 31, 2008), with the properly executed electronic signature of Applicants' agent affixed thereto. No new matter has been added.

It is believed that no extensions of time or fees are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Hewlett-Packard Development Company's Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 8, 2008

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Commissioner for Patents
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Date: October 31, 2008

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 8, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 20 of this paper.